



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant(s) : Mark R. FRYE et al.
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a Second Preliminary Amendment for the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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- Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1349. This paragraph is intended to be a **CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1,136(a)(3).
- Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.